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REVISED February 5, 2019 for Add On to Size
REVISED February 21, 2019 Corrected System Size
REVISED March 7, 2019 to reflect effective date of change in certification

To: The Chairman and Commissioners

From: Patricia Gannon, Public Utilities Analyst *PAG*

Subject: IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF KISNER'S POWER PLANT
FOR CERTIFICATION AS AN ELIGIBLE ENERGY RESOURCE UNDER THE
DELAWARE RENEWABLE ENERGY PORTFOLIO STANDARD
(Filed May 17, 2013, Revised October 24, 2018, Revised February 21, 2019) –
PSC Docket No. 13-203/18-1156)

Application:

The Kisner's Power Plant (the "Applicant") filed an application with the Commission on May 17, 2013 seeking approval, pursuant to 26 Del. C. § 351 -363, for the certification of their generation unit located at 26 N Purdue Ave, New Castle, DE 19720.

On October 24, 2018, the Applicant mistakenly filed a request to add 0.00799 MW of capacity. The add-on to the system was not separately metered and could not be separately metered according to the owner and installer. The original application in 2013 was filed with a workforce bonus, but there was no workforce bonus for the added capacity. The Applicant agreed to give up the workforce bonus. The certification number was changed from DE-98472-SUN-01-0W to DE-98472-SUN-01-00-00 **effective with production August 2018 and thereafter.**

On February 21, 2019, staff was contacted by SREC trade to advise us the add-on application was incorrect. The add-on should have been .00343 MW and the total system size is .00799 MW. The correction is being submitted to GATS.

Staff's Review:

Pursuant to 26 Del. C. § 351 – 363, the Commission issued Order No. 6931, dated June 6, 2006, which adopted the Rules and Procedures to Implement the Renewable Energy Portfolio Standard (“Rules” or “Regulation”). The Rules require that Retail Electricity Suppliers comply with the Renewable Energy Portfolio Standard (“RPS”) through the filing of Renewable Energy Credits (RECs) created in PJM-EIS Generation Attributes Tracking System (“GATS”). RECs are created in GATS by Generation Units which are certified by the Commission as Eligible Energy Resources. Upon designation as an Eligible Energy Resource, the Generation Unit’s owner shall be entitled to one (1) REC for each megawatt hour of energy derived from Eligible Energy Resources. The Commission through its Staff will certify Generation Units as Eligible Energy Resources based on the definition of Eligible Energy Resources found in Section 1.0 of the Rules. Staff has reviewed the application for compliance with the requirements of 26 Del. C. § 351 – 363 and the Rules.

Staff's Findings:

According to the application, the Generation Unit is located within the PJM control area at 26 N Purdue Ave, New Castle, DE 19720. The Generation Unit’s fuel type is Solar with a .00343 MW rated capacity. The Applicant’s facility is Customer-Sited Generation and uses a Net Meter (Digital). At this time, the Applicant has no other PJM-EIS GATS State Certification Numbers assigned to this facility.

The Applicant added 0.00799 MW of capacity to the system in July 2018. The total capacity is now 0.01442 MW.

On February 21, 2019, staff was contacted by SREC trade to advise us the add-on application was incorrect. The add-on is .00343 MW and the total system size is .00799 MW. The correction is being submitted to GATS.

Staff's Recommendation:

Staff recommends that the following State of Delaware Certification Number be assigned to Applicant’s facility for use in PJM-EIS GATS:

Kisner’s Power Plant

DE-98472-SUN-01-00-00

This revised certification number showing no bonus is effective for production August 2018 and thereafter.

The sixteen-digit State of Delaware Certification Number is consistent with the GATS identification system. The first two letters represent the state that is certifying the facility. The next five digits identify the facility. The following three letters represent the Eligible Energy Source on which RECs from the facility are based. The next two digits indicate whether the facility meets the definition of a New Renewable Generation Resource, which is defined as an Eligible Energy Resource first going into commercial operation after December 31, 1997. The next two digits indicate whether the facility is eligible for any bonus REC or SREC multipliers as designated in

Title 26 of the Delaware Code. The last two digits indicate whether the facility is eligible for the bonus for customer sited PV as per Title 26 of the Delaware Code.

Conclusion:

From the date of this Memorandum, the above State of Delaware Certification Number shall be deemed approved and is to be used in accordance with the PJM-EIS GATS for use in creating RECs or SRECs. It is the applicant's or its designee's responsibility to register the Eligible Energy Resource in GATS, using this Delaware Certification Number, in order for SRECs or RECs to be created. The GATS home page is <http://www.pjm-eis.com/> its contact information is: Hotline: 610-666-2245, Toll Free Number: 1-877-750-GATS, E-mail: gatsadmin@pjm-eis.com

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